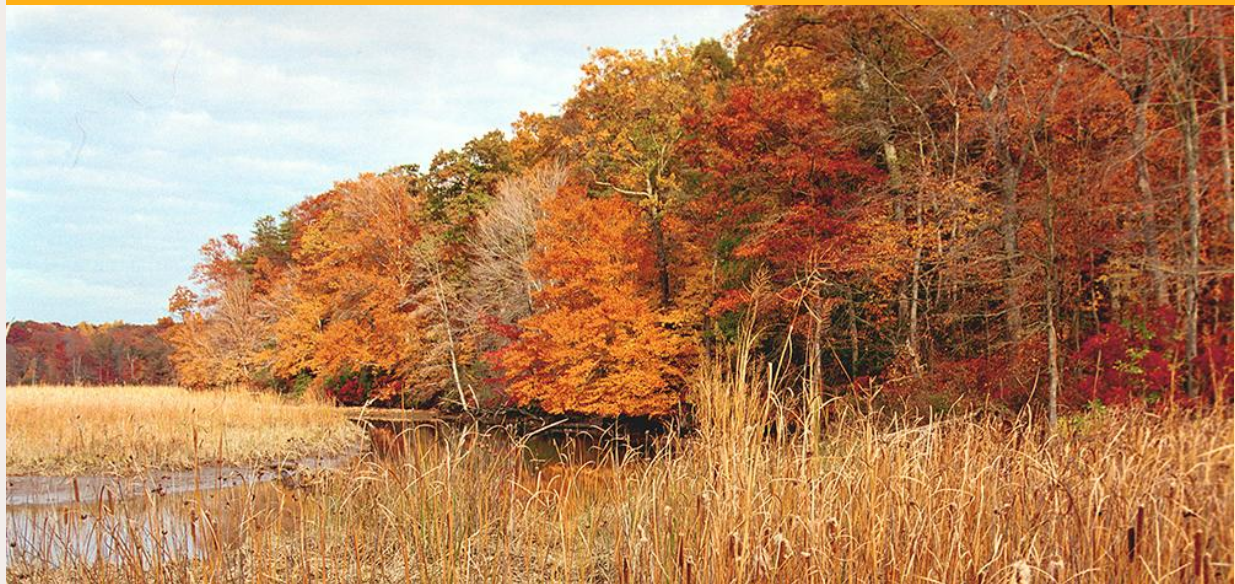




Visitor News for October 2020



## ***Harvest Happy Memories in Calvert this Fall***

Discover what you LOVE in Calvert County!

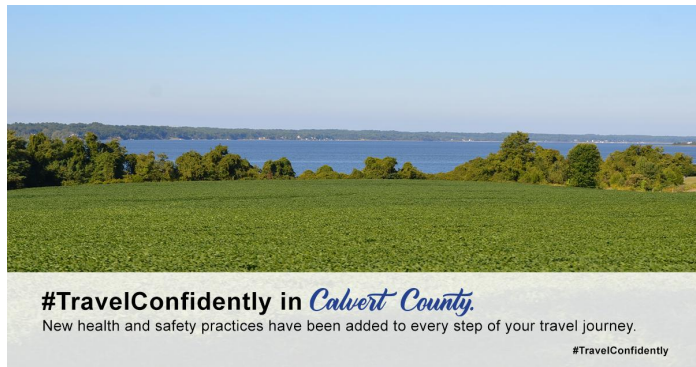


### **Support Local Sites and Attractions**

October offers scenic sights of fabulous fall foliage throughout Calvert County. Get out and enjoy the crisp weather, family-friendly adventures (both online and in-person!) and scenic backdrops at county parks and attractions. [Check out the Calvert County Calendar of Events](#) for entertaining and enjoyable events.

## Travel Confidently in Calvert County this Season

It's "Walktober!" Ready to stretch your legs in Calvert County this fall? [Visit online](#) for a list of currently open attractions and outdoor spaces in Calvert County during the pandemic. Please visit individual attraction websites for hours of operation and guidelines before heading out.

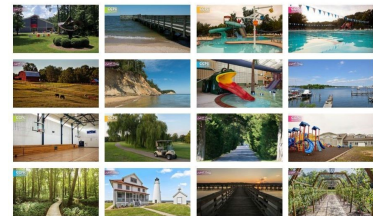


## Sip and Savor Your Way Through Calvert

Celebrate Oktoberfest the Calvert County way! Sip and savor your way from the top of the county to the bottom. With so many great [wineries and breweries](#) to choose from, you'll be celebrating our seasonal and local flavors all month long.

## Download Free Virtual Backgrounds

Everyone is online meeting-savvy these days! Show your Calvert County pride by using these [free virtual backgrounds](#) on your next online meeting featuring well-loved Calvert County locations and scenes.



## Crisp Autumn Days Bring Fresh Seasonal Offerings

Autumn is officially here and despite the cool, crisp weather, local farmers have an abundance of seasonal offerings for citizens. Spend the day visiting local farms and farm stands to sample homemade ciders, pick a plethora of fresh apples and squash, or purchase colorful gourds for that perfect autumnal centerpiece.

October is a terrific time to pick a pumpkin and create a creepy or silly jack-o-lantern with your family, or purchase locally grown ingredients for a home-baked treat. However you choose to celebrate the season, Calvert County farmers are here to help. [Visit online](#) to learn how to support the local agriculture community by checking out a farm, farm stand or farmers market.

## Dreaming of a Day by the Bay?

The [2020 Calvert County Visitors Guide](#) is still available. Use this colorful guide to daydream about a future road trip. To get your free copy, visit online and download a PDF or fill out a brochure request form.







## New Parks & Recreation Special Event Permit Policy

The Calvert County Board of County Commissioners voted to adopt a new Special Event Permit Policy and permit fee schedule at its Aug. 25 meeting. The purpose of the Special Event Permit Policy is to promote safe and successful special events for residents and visitors by standardizing the permitting process for special events in Calvert County.

Activities that are held on county-owned or county-operated property, but are not open to the public, are excluded. Parks & Recreation is available as a resource to ensure event organizers comply with the requirements of the county's Special Event Permit Policy. [Visit online to learn more.](#)

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## Lean on Us

Even though we're not physically in the office, Calvert County Economic Development staff are available to you by email or phone, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Reach out – whether you need help, have a great idea or just want to check in and let us know how you are doing. We'd love to hear from you! [Email](#) or call 410-535-4583. And as we begin to navigate our recovery, don't forget that businesses can check our dedicated [recovery web page](#) for updates, advice and information.

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## Social Distancing

Taking strong precautionary actions to prevent the spread of the COVID-19 virus protects your family, your friends and your neighbors. We will get through this together. We will continue to share the latest updates surrounding our county's response to COVID-19 including any precautionary measures, guidance and closures through a [virtual resource center](#). You can also receive updates on [Calvert County Government's Facebook page](#) and Comcast Channel 6.



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